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**Interview Summary**

Application No. <b>09/580,411</b>	Applicant(s) <b>Jenkins</b>
Examiner <b>Clark F. Dexter</b>	Art Unit <b>3724</b>

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Mr. Charles Rust

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(2) Mr. Clark Dexter

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Date of Interview Jul 26, 2002

Type: a) Telephonic      b) Video Conference  
c) Personal [copy is given to 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes      e) No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: 1-3

Identification of prior art discussed:

Carll, pn 2,313,801

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Mr. Dexter called to discuss the issues on appeal. Mr. Dexter stated that upon further consideration, all of the rejections will be withdrawn except the rejection under 35 USC 102(b) to claim 1. Mr. Dexter offered to allow claims 2 and 3 if applicant canceled claim 1. Applicant maintains the position that claim 1 is allowable over the prior art and thus declined the offer.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

CLARK F. DEXTER  
PRIMARY EXAMINER  
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Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.